tank. As it is desirable to limit the sphere of the raiyats entitled to give consent to the raiyats holding wet lands under the tank, we have added the following words after the word "raiyats" in clause 2, *viz.*, "and holding in the aggregate not less than half the occupied area of the wet lands under the tank."

The other alterations made are merely verbal.

The Bill as amended by us may be published in the *Mysore Gazette*.

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K. S. DORASWAMI IYER.
C. S. DORASWAMI IYER.
B. NARASINGA RAO.
B. K. GARUDACHAR.

A Bill to amend the Tank Panchayet Regulation, 1911.

(As amended by the Select Committee.)

[The portions in square brackets are those omitted and those in italics newly added by the Select Committee.]

Whereas it is expedient to amend the Tank Panchayet Regulation, 1911; His Highness the Maharaja is pleased to enact as follows:—

Amendment of Sub-section (2) of Section 2.

1. In Sub-section (2) of Section 2 of the Regulation, for the words "not less than Rs. 300 *and shall also include*," the words "more than Rs. 300 *and includes*" shall be substituted.

Amendment of paragraphs (1) and (2) of Section 16.

2. For Section 16, paragraphs (1) and (2) the following section shall be substituted:—

"16 (1) with the approval of a majority of not less than two-thirds of the raiyats, *and holding in the aggregate not less than half the occupied area of wet lands under the tank*, a Tank Panchayet may undertake the construction, restoration, or improvement as the case may be, of a minor tank under the rules [in force on that] *framed by Government in this* behalf.

3. For the figure "(3)" in Sub-section (3) of Section 16, the figure "(2)" shall be substituted.

No. 2—L. C., dated 1st July 1916.

Under Rule 40 of the Rules for the conduct of business of the Mysore Legislative Council, the following report of the Select Committee appointed to consider the Minor Tank Restoration Bill is published for general information, together with the Bill as amended by them.

By Order,
G. SREENIVASA IYER,
Secretary, Mysore Legislative Council.

Report of the Select Committee on the Minor Tank Restoration Bill.

We, the members of the Select Committee appointed to consider the Minor Tank Restoration Bill, have the honour to submit the following report to the Council together with the Bill as amended by us.

We have carefully considered the Bill and have made the following amendments therein:—

Preamble.—As the scheme sanctioned by the Government in 1914, relates only to restoration and improvement of tanks and not to the construction of a new tank,

it is desirable to limit the scope of the Bill to restoration and improvement of tanks only, and we have therefore slightly amended the preamble and clause 3.

Clauses 4 and 5.—As it is desirable that the orders of the Deputy Commissioner should be made final we have substituted the following new clause for clause 5 renumbering it as clause 4, the present clause 4 being renumbered as clause 5:—

"4. At any time within thirty days from the date of the notification of the agreement published in the village, application may be made to the Deputy Commissioner objecting to the agreement on the ground of some irregularity, mistake or fraud in recording it. On the expiry of thirty days from the date of publication in the village, if no such application is received or if such application is made and rejected, the Deputy Commissioner shall make an order confirming the agreement and his order shall be final."

Appeal.

The other alterations made are merely verbal.

The Bill as amended by us may be published in the *Mysore Gazette*.

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K. S. DORASWAMI IYER.
C. S. DORASWAMI IYER.
B. NARASINGA RAO.
B. K. GARUDACHAR.

The Minor Tank Restoration Bill.

(As amended by the Select Committee.)

[The portions in square brackets are those omitted and those in italics newly added by the Select Committee.]

Whereas it is expedient to facilitate the working of the Schemes for the [construction and] restoration *and improvement* of minor tanks; His Highness the Maharaja is pleased to enact as follows:—

Title, extent and commencement.

1. (1) This Regulation may be called the Minor Tank Restoration Regulation.

(2) It extends to the whole of Mysore.

(3) It shall come into force at once.

Minor tank.

2. Every tank which falls within the definition of a minor tank contained in Section 2 of the Tank Panchayet Regulation, I of 1911, shall be a minor tank within the purview of this Regulation.

Agreement of holders of two-thirds area to be binding on the others.

3. Where the holders of not less than two-thirds of the area of irrigable lands under an existing minor tank [or of lands likely to be irrigated by a minor tank proposed to be constructed] agree to pay a share of the cost of restoration or [construction] *improvement* according to rules framed by Government in this behalf, such agreement shall be binding on the occupants of all such irrigable lands, provided that such [consent] *agreement* has been recorded before a Revenue Officer not lower in rank than a Deputy Amildar. [and notice thereof has been personally served on the occupants of lands whose consent has been withheld.]

Appeal.

4. At any time within thirty days from the date of the notification of the agreement published in the village, application may be made to the Deputy Commissioner objecting to the agreement on the ground of some irregularity, mistake or fraud in recording it. On the

expiration of thirty days from the date of publication in the village, if no such application is received or if such application is made and rejected the Deputy Commissioner shall make an order confirming the agreement and his order shall be final.

Recovery of dues.

[4]. 5. Any amount due under this agreement shall be leviable as [if it were] *an* arrear [s] of land revenue.

Appeal.

[5. Within thirty days of the service of the notice under Section 3, it shall be open to a person on whom such notice has been served to appeal to the Deputy Commissioner, who shall thereupon after such enquiry as may be necessary, pass an order either confirming the notice with or without modification, or withdrawing it. The Revenue Commissioner may, on a petition by the party aggrieved, revise such order if it is manifestly illegal or inequitable; but otherwise, the Deputy Commissioner's order shall be final.]

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PART III.

Legislative Measures and Rules thereunder.

REGULATION No. V OF 1916.

(Received the assent of His Highness the Maharaja on the 22nd day of July 1916.)

A REGULATION TO ESTABLISH AND INCORPORATE A UNIVERSITY IN MYSORE.

WHEREAS it is expedient for the better encouragement and organisation of education to establish and incorporate a University in Mysore; His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore is pleased to enact as follows:—

Preamble.

Short Title.

1. This Regulation may be called "The Mysore University Regulation, 1916."

Commencement.

2. It shall come into force at once.

Definitions.

3. In this Regulation unless there is anything repugnant in the subject or context,—

(*a*) "Council" means the University Council;

(*b*) "Dean" means the Chairman of a Faculty of the University;

(*c*) "Faculty" means a Faculty of the University;

(*d*) "Ordinances" means the Ordinances of the University for the time being in force;

(*e*) "Senate" means the Senate of the University;

(*f*) "University" means the University of Mysore; and

(*g*) "University Professors" means the University Professors appointed as such by the Government.